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To All OSPHL Clients,

This Spring, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Laboratories announced testing that has been discontinued or paused. Please review the details below and the CDC Lab Directory list of changes for anything that may affect your laboratory or your work.

Please share this notice with your colleagues who need this information.

What has changed at CDC?

The CDC laboratories have discontinued or paused various tests previously available. Most tests are not frequently requested by Oregon clinicians. For more information about tests available from CDC, please consult the [CDC Test Directory](#). A list of affected tests can be found using the banner at the top of the page.



Attention!

Several test orders are currently unavailable. Please click "More Info" for the full list.

[More info](#)

Where tests have been discontinued but CDC is available for consultation, the test may still appear in the Test Directory. In these cases, the page will indicate specimens are not being accepted and CDC staff members are listed on that page as contacts for consult.

Even where CDC has not expressly stated testing is available commercially, testing may be available at commercial or other laboratories.

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If CDC has temporarily paused testing for which a public health official requests that your laboratory submit a specimen to the Oregon State Public Health Laboratory (OSPHL) for forwarding to CDC, OSPHL may store the specimen until CDC resumes testing.

Thank you for your attention to these changes. Please contact OSPHL at 503-693-4100 with questions or other reference testing needs.

Sincerely,

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